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TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371		U S APPLICATION NO (If known, see 37 C.F.R. 5) 09/936492
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/GB00/00747	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE March 2, 2000	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED March 11, 1999
TITLE OF INVENTION ELECTRICAL CONNECTOR WITH DEFORMABLE INSERT		
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US David John Hollick		
Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:		
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. 2. <input type="checkbox"/> This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. 3. <input type="checkbox"/> This express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)) at any time rather than delay examination until the expiration of the applicable time limit set in 35 U.S.C. 371(b) and PCT Articles 22 and 39(l). 4. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A proper Demand for International Preliminary Examination was made by the 19th month from the earliest claimed priority date. 5. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)) <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau). b. <input type="checkbox"/> has been transmitted by the International Bureau. c. <input type="checkbox"/> is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US). 6. <input type="checkbox"/> A translation of the International Application into English (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)). 7. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)) <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. <input type="checkbox"/> are transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau). b. <input type="checkbox"/> have been transmitted by the International Bureau. c. <input type="checkbox"/> have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. d. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> have not been made and will not be made. 8. <input type="checkbox"/> A translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)). 9. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)). 10. <input type="checkbox"/> A translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)). 		
Items 11. to 16. below concern other document(s) or information included:		
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 11. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 C.F.R. 1.97 and 1.98. 12. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included. 13. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A FIRST preliminary amendment. <input type="checkbox"/> A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment. 14. <input type="checkbox"/> A substitute specification. 15. <input type="checkbox"/> A change of power of attorney and/or address letter. 16. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other items or information: International Search Report; International Preliminary Examination Report 		

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17. [X] The following fees are submitted:

Basic National Fee (37 CFR 1.492(a)(1)-(5)):

Search Report has been prepared by the EPO or JPO \$860.00

International preliminary examination fee paid to USPTO
(37 CFR 1.482). \$690.00

No international preliminary examination fee paid to USPTO
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(37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) \$710.00

Neither international preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482)
nor international search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) paid to
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ENTER APPROPRIATE BASIC FEE AMOUNT =

Surcharge of \$130.00 for furnishing the oath or declaration later than [] 20
[] 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)).

Claims	Number Filed	Number Extra	Rate
Total Claims	23-20 =	3	X \$18.00
Independent Claims	5-3 =	2	X 80.00
Multiple dependent claim(s) (if applicable)			+ \$270.00

TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =

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Statement must also be filed. (Note 37 CFR 1.9, 1.27, 1.28).

SUBTOTAL =

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[] 20 [] 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(f)).

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be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31). \$40.00 per
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a. [X] A check in the amount of \$1,114.00 to cover the above fees is enclosed.

b. [] Please charge my Deposit Account No. in the amount of \$ to cover the above fees. A duplicate copy of this
sheet is enclosed.

c. [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment
to Deposit Account No. 50-0220.

NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.494 or 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b)) must be
filed and granted to restore the application to pending status.

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September 11, 2001

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Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Please amend the above-referenced application as follows. Attached hereto is a marked up version of the changes made to the specification including the claims by the current amendment. The marked up version of the changes is captioned "**Version With Markings To Show Changes Made.**"

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

On page 1, at line 2 (after the title), please insert the following text:

-- RELATED APPLICATIONS

The present application is a National Phase application of PCT/GB00/00747 filed on March 2, 2000 and published in English, which claims priority from Application GB 9905505.5 filed on March 11, 1999.

FIELD OF THE INVENTION--

On page 1, at line 4 (between the first and second paragraph (before "Electrical connectors")), please insert the following centered text:

--BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION--

On page 1, at line 19 (before "There has now been devised"), please insert the following centered text:

--SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION--

On page 3, at line 14 (before "The invention will now"), please insert the following centered text:

--BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS--